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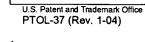
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2. ☑ The allowed claim(s) is/are <u>1-6,8 and 10-29</u> .								
3. The drawings filed on <u>02 April 2001</u> are accepted by the Examiner.								
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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The application has been amended as follows:

The numbering of claims is not in accordance with 37 CFR 1.126 which requires the original numbering of the claims to be preserved throughout the prosecution. When claims are canceled, the remaining claims must not be renumbered. When new claims are presented, **they must be numbered consecutively** beginning with the number next following the highest numbered claims previously presented (whether entered or not).

Misnumbered claim 30 has been renumbered as claim 29.

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Kenneth R Coulter whose telephone number is 571 272-3880. The examiner can normally be reached on 5 4 9.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Rupal Dharia can be reached on 571 272-3879. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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